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NOTICE

Pursuant to Executive Order 06-27, the Director of the Missouri Department of Natural Resources has suspended specific statutes and administrative rules or regulations currently in place in order to best serve the interest of the public health and safety during the period of the emergency and subsequent recovery period resulting from the severe storms in the St. Louis area during the evening of July 19-20, 2006.

July 21, 2006

The Missouri Department of Natural Resources is waiving the following requirement due to the anticipated nature and quantity of wastes generated by the recent storm related cleanup activities.

Section 260.250.1, RSMo, normally prohibits the disposal of certain items in landfills. This waiver allows any yard waste generated as a result of the storm to be disposed of in permitted sanitary or demolition landfills. The composting of this waste is still encouraged if it is practical to do so. This waiver applies only to yard waste and does not allow disposal of other items normally prohibited in sanitary or demolition landfills.

All provisions of this waiver shall be in effect until August 21, 2006 unless extended.

Sincerely,

MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES

Doyle Childers

Director